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Invention: FILL-IN-THE-BLANK APPLLET


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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated April 19, 2005 (Paper No. 20050416), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

Appendix follows page 8 of this paper.